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U.S. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
(1967 = 100) ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

	Annual Average 1982	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982	Percent Change from June 1983	Percent Change from July 1982	Percent Change Projected on Annual Basis
All Items	289.1	299.3	298.1	292.2	0.4	2.4	4.9
Food & Beverage	278.2	284.7	284.7	280.8	—	1.4	—
Housing	314.7	324.5	323.1	319.2	0.4	1.7	4.9
Apparel and Upkeep	191.8	195.0	195.6	189.7	−0.3	2.8	3.7
Transportation	291.5	300.4	298.3	296.1	0.7	1.5	8.7
Medical Care	328.7	357.7	355.4	330.0	0.6	8.4	7.4
Entertainment	235.8	246.0	245.4	236.6	0.2	4.0	2.4

PRODUCER PRICE INDEX
(1967 = 100) UNITED STATES AVERAGE

	Annual Average 1982	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982	Percent Change from June 1983	Percent Change from July 1982
All Commodities	299.3	303.2	302.5	300.4	0.2	0.9
Farm Products and Processed Foods and Feeds	248.9	251.6	252.4	252.4	−0.3	−0.3
Industrial Commodities	312.3	316.6	315.4	312.8	0.4	1.2

MANUFACTURING HOURS AND EARNINGS

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982
United States									
Manufacturing	355.29	355.92	332.60	40.1	40.4	38.9	8.86	8.81	8.55
Durable	379.76	382.30	357.11	40.4	40.8	39.2	9.40	9.37	9.11
Nondurable	321.95	318.79	299.15	39.6	39.7	38.5	8.13	8.03	7.77
North Dakota									
Manufacturing	287.98	284.23	283.07	37.4	37.3	37.1	7.70	7.62	7.63
Durable	305.14	297.42	306.52	38.0	37.6	38.8	8.03	7.91	7.90
Nondurable	273.42	273.43	267.91	36.8	37.0	36.5	7.43	7.39	7.34
Fargo-Moorhead SMSA									
Manufacturing	286.77	294.84	310.42	35.1	36.4	38.9	8.17	8.10	7.98
Durable	277.55	280.57	323.47	33.2	34.3	38.6	8.36	8.18	8.38
Nondurable	293.83	304.72	301.06	36.5	37.9	39.2	8.05	8.04	7.68

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT

	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982
FARGO—MOORHEAD SMSA			
Total	59,440	60,930	58,830
Mining and Construction	2,700	2,630	2,900
Manufacturing	4,350	4,380	4,330
Transportation, Communication, and Public Utilities	3,730	3,760	3,950
Wholesale Trade	6,450	6,390	6,440
Retail Trade	11,390	11,570	11,470
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	3,840	3,870	3,820
Services	15,540	15,510	14,820
Government	11,440	12,820	11,100
GRAND FORKS SMSA			
Total	35,310	35,650	35,460
Mining and Construction	1,610	1,560	1,680
Manufacturing	1,930	1,930	2,150
Transportation, Communication, and Public Utilities	2,050	2,100	2,150
Wholesale Trade	2,050	2,070	2,100
Retail Trade	7,610	7,950	7,820
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	1,470	1,470	1,460
Services	8,860	8,870	8,470
Government	9,530	9,700	9,630
BISMARCK SMSA			
Total	34,900	34,920	34,860
Mining and Construction	2,420	2,360	2,750
Manufacturing	2,120	2,080	2,070
Transportation, Communication, and Public Utilities	2,980	2,980	2,990
Wholesale Trade	2,430	2,440	2,450
Retail Trade	6,940	6,940	6,930
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	1,700	1,700	1,710
Services	8,970	8,870	8,670
Government	7,340	7,550	7,290

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LABOR FORCE

	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982	Percent Change from June 1983	Percent Change from July 1982
UNITED STATES					
(In Thousands)					
Labor Force	113,539	113,600	112,090	−0.1	1.3
Employment	102,949	102,454	101,262	0.5	1.7
Unemployment	10,590	11,146	10,828	−5.0	2.2
Unemployment Rate	9.3%	9.8%	9.7%	—	—
NORTH DAKOTA					
Labor Force	369,130	357,890	366,310	3.1	0.8
Employment	350,660	338,100	348,750	3.7	0.5
Unemployment	18,470	19,790	17,560	−6.7	5.2
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	5.5%	4.8%	—	—
FARGO-MOORHEAD SMSA					
Labor Force	73,800	74,240	73,330	−0.6	0.6
Employment	70,520	70,750	69,870	−0.3	0.9
Unemployment	3,280	3,490	3,460	−6.0	−5.2
Unemployment Rate	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%	—	—
GRAND FORKS SMSA					
Labor Force	43,770	43,530	44,180	0.6	−0.9
Employment	41,350	40,980	41,630	0.9	−0.7
Unemployment	2,420	2,550	2,550	−5.1	−5.1
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	5.9%	5.8%	—	—
BISMARCK SMSA					
Labor Force	44,340	43,530	43,800	1.9	1.2
Employment	41,950	41,190	41,780	1.8	0.4
Unemployment	2,390	2,340	2,020	2.1	18.3
Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.4%	4.6%	—	—

U.S. data seasonally adjusted; other data not seasonally adjusted.

The Fargo-Moorhead SMSA includes Cass and Clay counties; the Grand Forks SMSA includes Grand Forks and Polk counties; and the Bismarck SMSA includes Burleigh and Morton counties.

NORTH DAKOTA EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

	July 1983	June 1983	July 1982
Nonagricultural Wage and Salary Employment	254,190	257,190	252,760
Mining	7,450	7,410	8,950
Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas	5,700	5,690	7,240
Other Mining	1,750	1,720	1,710
Construction	20,420	19,940	19,690
Manufacturing	15,000	14,920	15,110
Durable Goods	6,560	6,530	6,750
Nondurable Goods	8,440	8,390	8,360
Transportation, Communication, and Public Utilities	16,600	16,680	16,790
Trade	67,780	68,060	68,110
Wholesale	21,290	21,380	21,720
Retail	46,490	46,680	46,390
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	12,010	12,030	11,920
Services	56,220	56,400	54,410
Government	58,710	61,750	57,780
Federal	9,650	9,570	9,550
State	16,180	17,470	15,560
Local	32,880	34,710	32,670

LABOR FORCE by County, by Region July 1983

		1980 Population	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment Number	Unemployment Rate
1	Divide	3,494	2,218	2,155	63	2.8%
	McKenzie	7,132	5,557	5,300	257	4.6%
	Williams	22,237	18,636	17,294	1,342	7.2%
	REGION 1 TOTAL	32,863	26,411	24,749	1,662	6.3%
2	Bottineau	9,338	5,075	4,881	194	3.8%
	Burke	3,822	2,522	2,389	133	5.3%
	McHenry	7,858	3,959	3,705	254	6.4%
	Mountrail	7,679	4,557	4,252	305	6.7%
	Pierce	6,166	3,726	3,590	136	3.7%
	Renville	3,608	2,012	1,894	118	5.9%
	Ward	58,392	27,277	26,005	1,272	4.7%
	REGION 2 TOTAL	96,863	49,128	46,716	2,412	4.9%
3	Benson	7,944	4,150	3,781	369	8.9%
	Cavalier	7,636	4,371	4,182	189	4.3%
	Eddy	3,554	2,033	1,933	100	4.9%
	Ramsey	13,048	7,574	7,271	303	4.0%
	Rolette	12,177	5,731	4,994	737	12.9%
	Towner	4,052	2,595	2,542	53	2.0%
	REGION 3 TOTAL	48,411	26,454	24,703	1,751	6.6%
4	Grand Forks	66,100	29,164	27,844	1,320	4.5%
	Nelson	5,233	3,372	3,250	122	3.6%
	Pembina	10,399	7,217	6,723	494	6.8%
	Walsh	15,371	10,136	9,598	538	5.3%
	REGION 4 TOTAL	97,103	49,889	47,415	2,474	5.0%
5	Cass	88,247	48,366	46,521	1,845	3.8%
	Ransom	6,698	3,699	3,582	117	3.2%
	Richland	19,207	10,043	9,598	445	4.4%
	Sargent	5,512	3,270	3,045	225	6.9%
	Steele	3,106	1,811	1,769	42	2.3%
	Traill	9,624	5,565	5,296	269	4.8%
	REGION 5 TOTAL	132,394	72,754	69,811	2,943	4.0%
6	Barnes	13,960	7,268	6,984	284	3.9%
	Dickey	7,207	4,051	3,930	121	3.0%
	Foster	4,611	2,630	2,523	107	4.1%
	Griggs	3,714	2,095	2,052	43	2.1%
	LaMoure	6,473	3,253	3,158	95	2.9%
	Logan	3,493	1,884	1,816	68	3.6%
	McIntosh	4,800	3,001	2,901	100	3.3%
	Stutsman	24,154	13,134	12,595	539	4.1%
	Wells	6,979	4,045	3,909	136	3.4%
	REGION 6 TOTAL	75,391	41,361	39,868	1,493	3.6%
7	Burleigh	54,811	30,511	28,822	1,689	5.5%
	Emmons	5,877	3,343	3,180	163	4.9%
	Grant	4,274	2,298	2,191	107	4.7%
	Kidder	3,833	1,919	1,788	131	6.8%
	McLean	12,288	6,594	6,243	351	5.3%
	Mercer	9,378	8,690	8,405	285	3.3%
	Morton	25,177	13,824	13,127	697	5.0%
	Oliver	2,495	1,458	1,404	54	3.7%
	Sheridan	2,819	1,594	1,549	45	2.8%
	Sioux	3,620	1,547	1,366	181	11.7%
	REGION 7 TOTAL	124,572	71,778	68,075	3,703	5.2%
8	Adams	3,584	2,496	2,413	83	3.3%
	Billings	1,138	1,453	1,429	24	1.7%
	Bowman	4,229	2,624	2,499	125	4.8%
	Dunn	4,627	3,021	2,779	242	8.0%
	Golden Valley	2,391	1,549	1,480	69	4.5%
	Hettinger	4,275	2,440	2,338	102	4.2%
	Slope	1,157	750	727	23	3.1%
	Stark	23,697	17,019	15,659	1,360	8.0%
	REGION 8 TOTAL	45,098	31,352	29,324	2,028	6.5%
STATE TOTAL		652,695	369,127	350,661	18,466	5.0%

Rates are not CPS adjusted and cannot be used in federal grant applications.